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In re Application of )  
SHUICHI MIZUNO, ET AL. ) Group Art Unit: 1657  
Serial No.: 10/625,245 ) Examiner: NAFF, DAVID M.  
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For: NEO-CARTILAGE CONSTRUCTS ) Customer No.: 23308  
AND A METHOD FOR PREPARATION )  
THEREOF )

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Examiner's  
Non-Final Office Action dated February 19, 2009.

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Remarks begin on page 7.

This Amendment is being filed with a Transmittal Form and Petition for Extension of Time (1 month). Fees for the Extension of Time will be paid with Peters Verny, LLP Deposit Account 16-1331 at the time of the filing of this paper. If any additional fees are determined to be due, Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Peters Verny, LLP Deposit Account 16-1331.